Mathematics 2003, Grade 4

Mathematics Composite

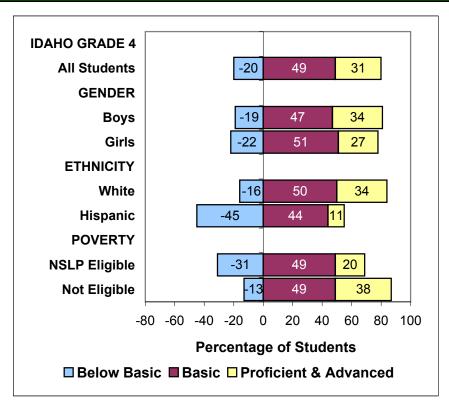


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The Mathematics assessment of the National Assessment of Educational Progress (NAEP) used multiple-choice and constructed-response questions to examine student skills with number properties and operations, measurement, geometry, data analysis and probability, and algebra. The math scale ranges from 0 to 500, where 214 is a Basic performance, 249 is Proficient, and 282 is Proficient.

Mathematics Performance Levels by Demographic Group in Idaho



- \bullet On the NAEP 2003 mathematics assessment, the percentage of 4th grade girls who scored at or above *Basic* (78 percent) was not significantly different from the boys (81 percent).
- On the NAEP 2003 mathematics assessment, the percentage of White 4th grade students students who scored at or above *Basic* (84 percent) was higher than their Hispanic peers (55 percent). Sample size was not sufficient to permit a reliable estimate of mathematics performance for Black, Asian, and American Indian students.
- On the NAEP 2003 mathematics assessment, the 69 percent of 4th grade students who qualified for free or reduced price meals in the National School Lunch Program scored at or above *Basic*. This was lower than the percentage of students who were not eligible for the program (87 percent).

Comparisons are based on statistical tests (.05 level) that consider magnitude of difference and standard errors.

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